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THE FLAVIVIRUS DENGUE  
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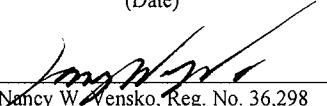
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Nancy W. Vensko, Reg. No. 36,298AMENDMENT OR RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION (RCE)

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 9, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.